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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 19, 2005, please enter the following
amendments and consider the following remarks regarding the above-identified patent
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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this
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